

STATE	OVERALL PERFORMANCE GRADES									
Utah Virginia Washington										A-
Delaware Georgia Michigan Missouri Texas										B+
Indiana Iowa Louisiana Maryland Nebraska										B
Arizona Connecticut Florida Idaho Kansas Kentucky Minnesota New Mexico New York North Carolina North Dakota Ohio Pennsylvania South Carolina Tennessee Vermont Wisconsin Wyoming										B- — NATIONAL AVERAGE
Alabama Colorado Hawaii Mississippi Montana Nevada Oklahoma Oregon South Dakota West Virginia										C+
Alaska Arkansas California Illinois Maine Massachusetts New Jersey										C
Rhode Island										C-
New Hampshire										D+
	D	D+	C-	C	C+	B-	B	B+	A-	A
NATIONAL AVERAGE B-										

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